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House Resolution 1908

By: Representative Smith of the 168th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Jeff Gary on the occasion of his retirement; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Jeff Gary graduated from Columbus State University with a Bachelor of
- 3 Science degree in biology in August, 1997; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
- 5 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his state as evidenced dramatically by his 34
- 6 years of exemplary service as a public servant working with the Columbus Department of
- 7 Public Health as an Environmental Health Technician, and thereafter he was promoted to an
- 8 Environmental Health Technician III; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he was again promoted to District Environmental Health Director for the
- 10 LaGrange District 4 in June, 1995, and served in this capacity until he became the
- 11 Environmental Health Director, Division of Public Health, for the Department of Human
- 12 Resources in July, 1999, in which position he currently serves; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mr. Gary will retire with 34 years of service this year; and
- 14 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
- 15 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; his loyalty, competence, reliability, and
- 16 enthusiasm have distinguished his superlative service to this state; and
- 17 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 20 the members of this body commend Jeff Gary for his many decades of efficient, effective,
- 21 unselfish, and dedicated public service to the citizens of this state and extend to him their
- 22 most sincere best wishes for continued health and happiness.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jeff Gary.